EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

HONORING KAREN D. ANDERSON

HON. HENRY C. "HANK" JOHNSON, JR.

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 19, 2014

Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, I submit the following Proclamation.

Whereas, in the Fourth Congressional District of Georgia, there are many individuals who are called to contribute to the needs of our community through leadership and service; and

Whereas, Mrs. Karen D. Anderson has answered that call by giving of herself as an educator at Edward L. Bouie, Sr., Elementary Traditional Theme School, and as a beloved wife, mother and friend; and

Whereas, Mrs. Anderson has been chosen as the 2014 Teacher of the Year, representing Edward L. Bouie, Sr., Elementary Traditional Theme School; and

Whereas, this phenomenal woman has shared her time and talents for the betterment of our community and our nation through her tireless works, motivational speeches and words of wisdom; and

Whereas, Mrs. Anderson is a virtuous woman, a courageous woman and a fearless leader who has shared her vision, talents and passion to help ensure that our children, receive an education that is relevant not only for today, but well into the future, as she truly understands that our children are the future; and

Whereas, the U.S. Representative of the Fourth District of Georgia has set aside this day to honor and recognize Mrs. Karen D. Anderson for her leadership and service to our District and in recognition of this singular honor as 2014 Teacher of the Year at Edward L. Bouie, Sr., Traditional Theme Elementary School; now therefore, I, HENRY C. "HANK" JOHNSON, Jr. do hereby proclaim March 28, 2014 as Mrs. Karen D. Anderson Day in the 4th Congressional District.

Proclaimed, this 28th day of March, 2014.

BILL MIDDLETON TRIBUTE

HON. SCOTT R. TIPTON

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES $Monday,\ May\ 19,\ 2014$

Mr. TIPTON. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in honor of Commander Bill Middleton, Investigations Divisions Commander of the Garfield County Sheriff's office, who is retiring after 22 years of service.

Since he was ten years old, Commander Middleton was surrounded by family members in law enforcement who served as mentors and played a large role in his desire to pursue a career in law enforcement. With a calling to leadership and helping others, Commander Middleton put himself through the academy at CMC Spring Valley Campus in Glenwood Springs, Colorado, before embarking on more

than two decades of protecting and serving his community.

Commander Middleton received a number of promotions over his career, showing his leadership by serving as Team Leader of Hostage Negotiations, serving as Professional Standards Division Commander from 2007 to 2013, and receiving his Bachelors of Science in Business Administration in 2009, before being named Investigations Division Commander in 2013.

Mr. Speaker, it is an honor to recognize Commander Middleton for his service to our state, the Glenwood Springs community, and his commitment to leading, protecting and helping others.

HONORING YWCA LAKE COUNTY AND ITS 2014 WOMEN OF ACHIEVEMENT

HON. BRADLEY S. SCHNEIDER

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, May 19, 2014

Mr. SCHNEIDER. Mr. Speaker, I rise to honor five outstanding women and four exemplary organizations in the suburban Chicago community that I represent. The YWCA Lake County hosts its annual Women of Achievement Award Dinner to honor several individuals and organizations dedicated to empowering underserved and low-income families, and especially women and girls.

This year's impressive group of honorees celebrates the ideals of the YWCA and has made a tremendous impact in the community. From education to local government and entrepreneurship, these honorees represent the finest ideals of social service, community involvement and civic leadership.

This year, YWCA Lake County honors Roycealee J. Wood with the Lifetime Achievement Award, after 40 years serving the students of Lake County as a teacher, administrator and Superintendent; Roberta Rubin with the Arts and Culture Award for sharing her love of books with the community; Audrey Nixon with the Civic Leadership Award, after 32 years on the Lake County Board; Tiffany Brooks with the Entrepreneurship Award, after winning HGTV's "Design Star" competition and launching her own firm; Jamie Kreppein, a high school senior, with the Dr. Minnie J. Leggett Scholarship for diverse and inspiring work with children.

This year's Corporate Champion Award goes to Allstate Insurance Company for its longtime support for YWCA programs and community endeavors; and the Community Champion Awards go to Greater St. James Temple Church in God in Christ (North Chicago), Redeemer Lutheran Church (Waukegan) and St. Paul's Church (Waukegan).

Mr. Speaker, the accomplishments of these honorees stretch pages and pages and have touched the lives and hearts of countless individuals and families in our communities. Their

work, their passion and, most of all, their commitment to helping others is truly commendable and remarkable.

I thank YWCA Lake County for its community service, and I congratulate the worthy and impressive 2014 Women of Achievement.

HONORING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS FROM WAYNE, MACOMB AND OAKLAND COUNTIES THAT HAVE ENLISTED IN THE ARMED FORCES

HON. CANDICE S. MILLER

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Monday, May 19, 2014

Mrs. MILLER of Michigan. Mr. Speaker, I rise today with my colleagues Congressman MIKE ROGERS, Congressman SANDER LEVIN, Congressman KERRY BENTIVOLIO, Congressman JOHN DINGELL, Congressman JOHN CONYERS, and Congressman GARY PETERS to recognize the high school seniors from Wayne, Macomb and Oakland Counties that have enlisted in the Armed Forces and will begin their military careers after graduating in June of 2014.

I congratulate them for this academic achievement and express my most sincere gratitude for their commitment to this nation. By enlisting to serve in our Armed Forces, they are answering the highest calling and joining an elite, honored society of selfless and courageous leaders.

UNITED STATES ARMY

Allyn, Vincent; Anderson, Clintina; Andrews, Donovon; Atiyeh, Alecia; Avery Conner, Rhonda; Bakare, Adebowale; Ball, Jeffery; Bennett, Steven; Berschbach, Alex; Bettner, Cameron; Bibbs, William; Black; Raquel; Blassic, Devin; Bratasheva, Lidia; Brown, Reginald; Bryant, Zachary; Bullen, Thomas; Burns, Nathaniel; Byrd, Jonathan.

Campbell, Samuel; Carlstrom, Christopher; Carter, Malik; Ceri, Rrigels; Christian, Andrew; Clark, Colin; Coker, Bryan; Cosby, Erica; Cote, Taylor; Couzens, Nicholas; Cox, Tyler; Crawford, Christopher; Cummings, Dominic; Davis, Pete; Dempsey, Brianna; Dixon, Sabrina; Dockus, Anthony; Edghill, Peter; Ellsworth, Hunter; Farrow II, Kelly.

Frazier, Samantha; Freeman, Alexander; Gackiewicz, Christian; Gifford, Eric; Gilbert, Christopher; Goins, Jeffrey; Goode, Tyler; Gordon, Joseph; Gray, Sergei; Green, Bailey; Green, Jacob; Griffith, Donald; Grimes, Autumn; Guilmette, Zachary; Hall, Brenton; Heffley, Daniel; Heythaler, Bethany; Hill, Tayler; Hill, Windall; Holmes, Alexandra.

Houle, Joseph; Hourmiz, Jonathan; Hudak, Anna; Hurd-Laskowski, Nathan; Jackson, Aaron; Jackson, Glenn; James, Robert; Janssen, Chase; Johnson, Malik; Jones, Dante; Jones, Townesen; Jones, Zachary; Juarez, Abraham; Justice, Kyle; Justice, Michael; Kalia, Kartik; Kasza, Zachary; Keller, Jesse; Kelley, Jorden; Kelly, Matthew; King, Jordan.

Kinney, Camdin; Kinney, Michael; Krause, Anton; Kreklau, John; Kuecken, Lindsay; Kwiecien, Max; Laitis, Dylan; Lange, Brian;

• This "bullet" symbol identifies statements or insertions which are not spoken by a Member of the Senate on the floor. Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.